

NEWS FROM THE EASTERN CONNECTICUT AND WESTERN RHODE ISLAND CORRESPONDENTS

Who is Going and Coming—Incidents, Accidents and Building in Three Counties.

New London County

HANOVER

Reunion of the Pupils of Thomas Knowlton Peck—About Fifty Served Lunch—Endeavors Invited to Park Church, Norwich.

A reunion of the pupils of Thomas Knowlton Peck was held at the Congregational church Saturday, Oct. 13, in the morning. The occasion was made and a pleasant social time was enjoyed. Dinner was served by the ladies' guild of about fifty. The president of the association, Mrs. James Bennett, presided at the afternoon business meeting. The roll was called and many responses were read from various sections of the county. After the singing of hymns, the Rev. Mr. Bennett introduced Allen B. Lincoln of New Haven who gave a most interesting address on Schools—present and future. Mr. Lincoln sang a solo. In closing all the members united in the old time closing song.

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General News.

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SOUTH GRISWOLD

Hunting Party From Norwich—Many at Auction—Sudden Death of Mail Carrier Slater's Wife.

Frank Yerrington, I. S. Button and L. M. Burdick of Norwich were hunting in this section Saturday. The auction at the Whipple place in Voluntown was largely attended by people from here. Oliver M. Young was a business caller in Norwich Tuesday and witnessed the arduous climb of Jack Williams.

A. G. Green was in Jewett City on Monday as were also Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Burdick and daughters, Christine and Arline were Sunday visitors to the home of Mr. Theodore Brand was in this place Sunday and left for Union Monday.

General news from the republican dance held in Social hall, Glasgow, Tuesday evening.

H. H. Young is ill in bed. Miss W. F. Reed of Hartford and Victor Campbell of Pachaug were at the local church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Luther were in Springfield over the week-end, also attending the cattle show.

Frederick Burdick is at his home here Sunday, returning to Camp Devens in the evening. He reported all in good health and ending camp life.

John H. Burdick is doing assessor's duty in Jewett City.

Peter S. Gauthier is drawing his ties to the station to get them in before the new regulations are in force regarding the length.

Patrons of the R. F. D. are expressing sympathy with the carrier, R. V. Slater, in the sudden death of his wife. Sterry F. Slater has been delivering the mail during the enforced absence of Mr. Slater.

GOSHEN

Local People Attend Ceremonial at Plant Field—Arrangements Being Made for Game Supper.

A. R. Curry and sister, Miss Eva Curry are visiting friends in Chicopee Falls, Mass., also attending the exposition at the falls. A number from this place were in New London Sunday, participating in the drill practice of the Connecticut Home Guards, Third regiment, at the Plant field.

A. J. Randall returned to the school duties at the Connecticut Agricultural college at Storrs Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Randall and Mrs. E. F. Randall and Mrs. E. F. Randall were visitors at Storrs college.

Game Supper Planned. Members of the Goshen Gun club, with their good wives, met Monday evening to perfect plans for the game supper to be held next week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lyman of Columbia were visitors here recently.

Mrs. Walter Fish and daughter, Miss Fannie Fish of Mystic, are visiting at the home of Deacon J. V. Donah.

A number from Goshen attended the funeral of J. R. Backus in Colchester Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynor Osborne and Jack Osborne of Malden, Mass., were week-end visitors at B. R. York's.

A party of fourteen enjoyed a game supper at Elm Lawn, Saturday evening.

LIBERTY HILL

Stray Carrier Pigeon Hovers Around Parsonage—Donations of C. E. Society—Everett C. Payson Exempted.

Mrs. George A. Trotter of Newton, Mass., is making a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. E. A. Payson.

Mrs. Willard Clarke of Columbia and her daughter, Mrs. Emily Randall, of Colorado, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark last week.

Prof. and Mrs. Herbert N. Loomis and daughter of New Haven, visited Mr. Loomis' step-father, J. H. Burrill, Friday and Saturday. Mr. Burrill is suffering from rheumatism.

Mrs. Elmer Caples attended the funeral of a relative in New London on Monday.

Rev. Mr. Blake of Colchester will preach in exchange here next Sunday.

Mrs. J. Earl James and Mr. and Mrs. John James went to Camp Devens last Monday to see Corporal J. Earl James, Mr. and Mrs. James' son.

Prof. and Mrs. A. V. Black were week-end visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett C. Payson were in Williams River Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Davoli visited.

LEFFINGWELL

Special Evening, To-Bid Farewell to Miss Palmer.

Elbert L. Johnson of New London called on his mother, Mrs. A. J. Johnson, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rathbun of Plain Hill and Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Chappell of Fairmont, were guests at C. L. Palmer's, Sunday.

Clarence and Fred Amburn of Camp Devens spent Sunday at their home in this place.

Miss Gladys Leffingwell and Mrs. George Shannon spent Tuesday with Mrs. Irving Foote, of Preston Plains.

C. S. Palmer and Miss Rosabel Palmer are spending several weeks with the former's son, Fred N. Palmer, of Hartford.

Farewell Party. Monday evening about twenty-five friends gathered at the home of Rosabel Palmer, to bid her farewell. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served.

Baptist Church Services. Sunday morning services at eleven o'clock. Sunday school at twelve o'clock. Also at the United Methodist church.

Congregational C. E. Society Elects Officers—Invitations Issued for the Geer-Smith Wedding—Food Conservation Committee Appointed.

At the close of the Sunday evening service in the Congregational church, a ladies conference was held.

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SALEM

Springfield Dairy Show Attended by Local People—Annual Meeting of C. E. Society.

Mrs. William Darling has been spending the week with relatives in Holyoke, Mass.

After spending several weeks at her home here, Miss Susan Miller returned to New York City.

William Chapman of Westerly and Charles Champlin of Bridgeport have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Clark during the week.

At Dairy Show. Mr. and Mrs. William Darling, Mr. and Mrs. James Lane attended the dairy show at Springfield the first of the week.

Mrs. Sherwood Miner spent several days recently with her mother, Mrs. Hannah Fuller, in East Haddam.

Mrs. William Sisson of North Plains spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Henry Rogers.

The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting Sunday evening was led by the president, Dwight Martin. At the close of the service the annual business meeting of the society was held.

Mrs. Horace Kramer of Gales Ferry was a caller in town Sunday.

Were at Norwich Convention. Mrs. William Darling, Rev. J. G. Hieh and Mrs. G. J. Murray attended the Sunday school convention in the Broadway Congregational church, Norwich, last Saturday.

George Moore left Monday for New Haven, where he has secured employment with the Winchester Arms company.

Food Conservation Committee. The town council of defense, Charles A. Gray, chairman, William I. Allen, Edgar Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Billings, T. Avery and Mrs. W. I. Allen, met in the Billings home, Tuesday evening.

Several members of the food conservation committee and has appointed a committee to deliver cards and get the food conservation law enforced.

Miss Hilda Holmberg, No. 3, Miss Charles D. Geer, No. 5, Miss Annie Baudro, No. 6, Charles A. Gray, No. 7, Mrs. W. I. Allen, No. 8, Miss Grace Finnegan, No. 9, Miss Anna Blawieck, No. 10, Miss Elsie Annand, No. 11, Miss Mary A. Watrous, No. 12, Mrs. Henrietta Finnegan, No. 13, Mrs. Avery Main, No. 14, Mrs. J. C. Luther.

Dudley D. Taylor has returned home after visiting his brother near Boston for several days.

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Sum of \$50.05 for Library Fund. Billings T. Avery, treasurer of the Soldiers' Library Fund, appointed to collect funds for the purchase of books for the library.

The library fund has been \$55 and \$50.05 was collected. The amounts were collected by the following committee: Mrs. Sarah H. Main \$5.50, Miss Nellie W. Geer \$3.55, Mrs. Louise Cranford \$3.05, Mrs. Gertrude Watrous \$3.55, Rev. J. M. Potter, chairman of the Gales Ferry committee \$12.92, Mrs. George Hall \$1.50, Mrs. Charles B. Graves \$4.00, Mrs. John Finnegan, \$2.25; Billings T. Avery, \$7.75.

Big Yield of Potatoes. Joseph E. Holdridge states that he planted four bushels of potatoes and has a yield of about thirty bushels. This is the largest yield that has been reported so far.

Shower. A shower was given at the home of Mrs. George Hall, Wednesday evening. There were many present and the gifts were varied and useful. Refreshments were served at the close.

GARDNER LAKE

Albert Winchester Gets Red Fox—Personal Notes.

Elliah Abel of Bozrah is in this vicinity killing snakes.

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BOZRAH

Lunch Served Following Missionary Meeting—Lloyd Abel Home From Backus Hospital.

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GALES FERRY

Prof. Albert S. Bolles Leaves For the South—Brothers Celebrate Birthdays—Academy Pupils Visit Fort Devens—Delegates to Sunday School Convention.

Rev. James M. Potter spoke interestingly in the M. E. church Sunday morning, giving the second sermon on the text, "The Word of the Lord is as pure as silver." The text was taken from Rev. 2:16, and the theme was Student and Work.

The Epworth League evening service was conducted by Rev. Irving Hurlbutt, president of the league, with the topic, Country and City. Misses Marie and Gertrude Allen sang the duet, "When the Mist has Rolled Away." Miss Jennie G. Perkins was pianist.

Prof. Bolles Goes South. Prof. Albert S. Bolles, now of Bennington, Vt., with the wife and children, Mrs. Harriet F. Crandall and Mrs. Harlan Pierce, at their home in the village, from the town Sunday.

Miss Elsie McGuire spent the week-end with Miss Eleanor Burton of Ledyard and attended the birthday party at Miss Burton at her home last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph De Rusa and Mrs. Joseph De Rusa, with the children, Mrs. Latham Smith, moved to Camp Devens, Sunday, to visit Mrs. DeRusa's brother, Hugo Murray, of the 51st Infantry.

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